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To VIKTOR[1].

According to GOOSE's [GUS'] [11] latest advice CONSTRUCTOR[111] has stopped working at the Cheturgy[a] Design Company where jointly with Henry GOLVINE[b] and Art WEBER he was working on the production of BUNA-5. At the same time CONSTRUCTOR collaborated on the Aerosol problem (the work has partly been sent you) with HENLIG [KhENLIG][1v]. In both cases his partners cheated CONSTRUCTOR. They appropriated his work and chucked him out. Right now C.[K.] at his laboratory at 114 East 32nd Street with the help of the Grover Tank Company and the Bridgeport Brass Company has organized his own company and in the course of two or three weeks proposes to finish work on Aerosol and DDT and consolidate his position with these.

According to GOOSE's advice he had known about the disagreements for three weeks or so but he considered them a temporary quarrel and [B* did not] [1 group unrecoverable] us

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sum of 100 dollars a month. Telegraph your decision. We shall advise in detail by post.

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MAY[MAJ][v]
1 October

Notes: [a] Cheturgy: That is: Chemurgy. "Cheturgy" results from misreading a cursive English "m" as a Russian "t".

[b] GOLVINE: ~~This might represent HOLVINE.~~ Henry A. GOLWINNE

Comments:

[1] VIKTOR: Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN.

[11] GUS: Harry GOLD.

[111] CONSTRUCTOR: Abraham BROTHMAN.

[1v] HENLIG: Theodore HEILIG. KhENLIG instead of KhEJLIG is probably due to misreading.

[v] MAJ: Stepan APRESYAN.

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